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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D. Lesson text—John 3:1-21. Golden Text—John 3:16. Memory verses—John 3:14-18. Lesson for February 15.)

LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 15

PETER AND CORNELIUS.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 10.

GOLDEN TEXT—The same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him.—Rom. 10:12.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Acts 11:1-18.

PRIMARY TOPIC—God's Love for Everybody.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Peter Visits a Roman Captain.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Meaning of Prejudice.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Significance of the Conversion of Cornelius.

The conversion of Cornelius broke down the middle wall of partition between the Jews and Gentiles (Eph. 2:14).

I. Cornelius (vv. 1-8).

1. His official position (v. 1). He was a Roman officer over a company of 100 soldiers, perhaps of about the same rank as a captain in the American army.

2. His character (v. 2). (1) A devout, pious man. His heart was filled with a right fear. (2) He was a praying man, in observance of the Jewish hour of prayer. (3) He was charitable; he gave much to the poor. (4) He was respected by his family.

The Lord chose Cornelius for the transition of the Gospel to the Gentiles because of his character and position. No Jew could find any fault with him. He was a good man, but not a saved man.

II. The Supernatural Preparation for the Transition of the Gospel to the Gentiles (vv. 3-33).

1. The visions were given. (1) The vision of Cornelius (vv. 3-6). While engaged in prayer the angel of God instructed him to send to Joppa for Peter, who would tell him what to do. The angel told him that Peter lodged with Simon, a tanner, to show Cornelius that Peter was not the strictest Jew. The calling of a tanner is regarded as unclean by the strict Jews, and the trustees were commanded to travel upon Cornelius sent a messenger for Peter. He was living up to the best light he had, so he received more. (2) The vision of Peter (vv. 9-16). This took place while Peter was praying (v. 9). If one would receive visions from God, let him pray to God; for the heavens are open to those who seek after Him. He saw a certain vessel containing clean and unclean animals let down from heaven, and he heard the command: "Rise, Peter; kill, and eat." Peter protested that he had never eaten any but clean food. God replied: "What God hath cleansed, call not thou common." This vessel let down from heaven and taken back indicated that both Jew and Gentile were accepted on high.

2. Messengers from Cornelius (vv. 17-22). Peter was greatly perplexed over what he had seen, but not for long, for messengers from Cornelius made inquiry at the gate for him. The Lord informed Peter of the matter and told him to go, making doubting.

3. The meeting of Cornelius and Peter (vv. 23-33). (1) Peter took six witnesses along (v. 23). He had the good judgment to have two or a number of great importance he must have witnesses. This was proved at the ascension, when in the ascension of the question of the reception of the Gentiles into the church (11:1-3). (2) Cornelius waiting for Peter (v. 24). He called together his kinsmen and near friends. (3) Cornelius fell down to worship Peter (vv. 25, 26). He was prejudiced by pride and ignorance that he was a man. The true God not only forbids, but he alone is to be worshiped. (4) The supernatural explanation (vv. 27-33). Peter explained to him how God had taken from him his Jewish prejudice, and asked that Cornelius state the purpose of his having sent for him. Cornelius explained how God had appeared to him and instructed him to send for Peter.

III. Peter's Sermon (vv. 34-43).

1. The introduction (vv. 34, 35). He showed that God is no respecter of persons, but that in every nation those who fear God and work righteousness are accepted of him.

2. To disciples (vv. 36-43). In the discourse he briefly touches upon the mission of Jesus, among which are the preaching of his baptism and anointing with the Holy Spirit he was qualified for his work as teacher and, 3. Miracles exhibited the power of Christ (10:38). (2) In his death (v. 39). (3) In his resurrection (vv. 40, 41).

IV. The Holy Spirit Poured Out (vv. 44-48).

This was a new Pentecost. As the Church was formed upon its side-enhance the Spirit; one in new power.

Power of Faith.

Christianity was its best exponent in the lives of the saints. It is only when our creeds pass into the veins of the blood that they become vital and organic. Faith if not transmuted into character has lost its power.—C. L. Thompson.

No Man Is Useless.

So long as we live we are sorry; so long as we are loved by others we are indispensable; no man is useless while he has a friend.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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UNIVERSAL DAY OF BAD LUCK

In All Ages Friday Has Been Considered a Period of General Ill Omen.

The French call Friday "Vendredi"—Venus day.

Scandinavians regard Friday as the luckiest day of the week.

Our ancestors believed that eggs laid on a Friday would cure colic.

"Friday face" still lingers as a term of reproach for a sour-visaged person.

Friday is the United States' lucky day. Columbus discovered land on that day; the Pilgrims landed on a Friday, and Washington was born on a Friday.

The "unluckiness" of Friday were its origin, of course, to our Lord Jesus Christ's death on Good Friday.

Friday marriages are "for losses," and superstitious couples who are getting married avoid this day.

Shipping returns of all countries show a much lower sailing rate on Friday than on any other day of the week.

The Talmud, the book containing the civil laws of the ancient Jews, says that Adam was created on a Friday, sinned on a Friday, and was thrust out of Eden on a Friday.

VICTORY MATTER OF COURSE

American Advantage In Battle Obvious to the Most Casual Observer of Events.

One of the great assets on the side of the United States in any war is the complete and unbounded confidence of all the people—soldiers and civilians—that we are going to win. No one for a moment has any doubt about that. Some of us feel that we may have to pay a heavy price, but most of us will feel also that it is going to be worth all that it costs.

It is to be noted that this sense of confidence that fills the hearts of the people is not the overconfidence by which great battles are sometimes lost, but rather the consciousness of being in the right and of having the mental and physical force to uphold that right for our own sakes and for the sake of the world. This calm confidence is unquestionably a great American advantage.

The magnificent showing that has been made and always will be made by the American soldier boys thrills the hearts of all loyal citizens. It is inspiring and it warms the heart—but it was not unexpected.

Nature Study.

In the study of nature do not try to teach too much in one lesson. Notice first the characteristic features and qualities of whatever is under discussion; let the child examine the object if possible; remember that children are more interested in what things do than in their form.

Let the child examine a little plant, seed and all. Lead him to observe that it does something. It pushes its roots and its stem up. It eats and drinks, breathes, sleeps and wakes. It makes things: Leaves and flowers, seed and fruits. Incidentally, notice the form and color that these serve, then give to each individual plant.

Nature study need not be dull or difficult; it provides plenty of life and action. It is mostly our own interest that is dead, or our senses that need quickening.

Grasp a few fundamental principles and nature study in the home, in the kindergarten and in the school, will become the children's delight. The mother's friend, and occupation for the nursery to help start the youngsters on their way, a daily delight when waiting out.

Napoleon's Horses Trained.

Extraordinary were the precautions taken that Napoleon should never appear at a disadvantage on horseback. The emperor was not a graceful horseman, and his horses were always thoroughly broken in. Here is a description of the methods employed:

"They were trained to remain perfectly steady under tortures of every description; to receive blows about the head; drums were beat, pistols and crackers fired in their ears, flags waved before their eyes, clumsy pickers and sometimes even sheep and pigs, were thrown between their legs.

"None of the animals were deemed sufficiently trained till the emperor could, without the least difficulty, pull them up short at full gallop, which was his favorite pace."

Taking Notes.

When you take notes let them be brief, sharp, in open order, so a glance will give you a bird's-eye view of your whole scheme. For instance: "John J. Jones—ex-mayor—38 automatic—9 a. m.—3156 Wabash—Ill-health—12—born Springfield, O.—Cornell—County clerk, Golf Club—$100,000—wife, Mamie; children, Mary, John, William—Sailing 2 Trinity—May Evergreen." Make your copy fast, detail of deadwood like "that" and "which." Pick your own shorthand. For instance, "Nr un all zd me en aid pry," or "allr, bthn, dren, emfg trasprt, Kr, bldsldr, srpln."—A. S. Paine in Pop (Cleveland).

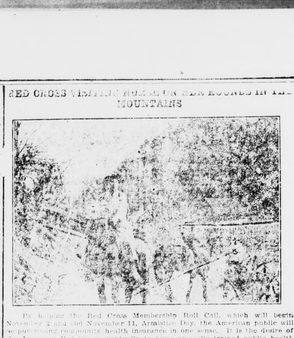
Memorials of the Famous.

Interesting memorials have been sold at Pim Norwell, Llangollen, North Wales. Included amongst the unique contents of the old home were memorials of the Duke of Wellington, Madame de Genlis, Southey, Wordsworth, Lord Edward Fitzgerald, and many other famous personages with whom the "Ladies of Llangollen" were contemporaneous.

Rainbow's Formation.

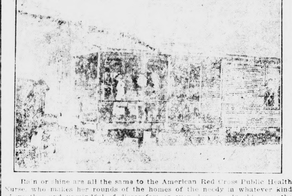
While it is true that the beautiful colors displayed by the rainbow are due to the passage of light through raindrops, the popular conception that the drops are directly in line between the sun and the bow is incorrect, according to scientists. The light enters the raindrop and is refracted and reflected back to form the bow. In this passage through the drop the different colors are produced which, blended make our ordinary white light.

RED CROSS TRAINS NURSES IN MOUNTAINS



By joining the Red Cross Membership Roll Call, which will begin on Armistice day, November 11, Armistice Day, the American public will be participating immediately in public health work. It is the desire of the Red Cross to put into operation, especially in the mountain districts of the south, where there is a crying need for them. Sanitation, public health nursing and epidemic work are among the many duties of the Red Cross nurse in the mountains. Enroll now as a worker at the local Red Cross chapter.

IN FAIR WEATHER AND FOUL



Help us shine on all the scouts to the American Red Cross Public Health nurse, who enters the rooms of the house of the sick in whatever kind of weather and unmindful of discomfort or even danger. In this way she is a real scout in the truest sense, and we want to make it possible for her to walk through the door-yours. Enroll now as a worker with the Red Cross Headquarters for the Third Red Cross Roll Call, November 11-11.

ARMENIA STOPS CRAFT OF TURK

Persecution of Armenians and Confiscation of Property Protested by English Officer.

The most arbitrary city boss in the world, it seems safe to say, as well as most unscrupulous politicians of extra times, has turned up in Armenia, to judge from an official report recently made by Major Stephen Rowbridge, under Gen. Edmund H. H. Allenby's orders.

He is a Turk named Benim Bey. Until the Near East Relief armies stopped him, he practiced upon the terrified Armenians such forms of money-graft as might well make every other corrupt politician in the world green with envy, and such methods as make all minor, heartless rulers, from Nero down, seem sweet and gentle characters. His office was that of Municipal Chief Accountant of Aintab; but, as all defenseless officials do know, it isn't the job that matters, but the opportunities that go with it. Benim Bey plucked magnificent plums with both hands, night and day.

Even hardened old Easterns have their way. Benim Bey's came when the Near East Relief agents found that no French Armenian could be induced to come in to carry on the vital relief work. Benim Bey promptly confiscated the property of the absentees, and then rented it to the Relief people at his own price.

Interesting Relic.

Curiously marked, a stone found in Wick harbor, is pronounced by Doctor Curle of the National Museum of Antiquities, Edinburgh, to be a super altar of close-grained sandstone, possibly of fifteenth century date. What it was inconvenient for the bishop of a diocese to attend personally and consecrate an altar, a small portable altar such as this was consecrated and sent to be sunk into the altar requiring consecration. Scotland has hitherto possessed only two super altars of the kind. The relic has been retained for the National museum, and a cast of the stone has been returned to the Wick museum. The stone is about five inches square, with five Greek crosses cut upon it.

Elegant English.

A woman was one day writing an excuse because she had been slow in answering a letter. She said: "I would have written before, but I have been sick with a dog bite in the arm. The man that owns the sawmill's dog bit me in the road." The excuse was accepted. Her composition sounds very much like that of a small boy who tried to explain to a fellow sufferer the best way to get rid of water in his ears. He saw how uncomfortable the man was and called to him in a friendly way: "Hey, mister, hop on the leg that the ear's got the water in."

Rush for Free Molasses.

When a tank car filled with 8,000 gallons of molasses was upset near Telford, Pa., and the molasses began to run out, people came by scores, on foot, in carriages and by automobiles, and carried away hundreds of gallons of molasses before the railroad men plugged the opening and left dozens of disappointed ones waiting to get at the outflow.

CARING FOR POOR WOMAN IN TENEMENT

The district or visiting nurse, who makes regular rounds, is their chief to her patients as regards the care of the baby and about sanitation or directions in such matters. Thousands of communities in the United States—in both town and country. Upon the success of the Red Cross membership campaign—which starts on Armistice and ends on Armistice—November 2 to 11 will depend the extent to which the American Red Cross will be able to carry on such work. Enroll now as a worker at the local Red Cross chapter.

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INTERESTING STORIES ABOUT DOING SELF.

Our Correspondents Relate the News of the County

Evergreen

Mrs. J. W. Miller spent Saturday shopping in Hill City.

Miss Ella Wade Farrar and Mrs. Otho Clarke have returned [illegible] friends in Lynchburg.

Messrs. Joe Blackburn, [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. Stein Keene, of Appomattox, were the home of Mrs. W. T. Johnson.

Mr. J. A. Gifford spent Saturday in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Edward B. Hamilton and daughter Olivia, spent Saturday in Lynchburg.

Mr. Carl Lacy, of U. S. N. is [illegible] the parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lacy.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will give an [illegible] the Baptist church on Saturday night, Feb 14, beginning at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

Oak Grove.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mr. J. Lee's daughter, Mrs. Meador, of Richmond, who has had double pneumonia, and Mrs. R. A. Goodwin is also ill in Richmond.

Mr. Sam Joel Harvey is expected home soon, from Amherst county, where he has been for six months in the employ of Mr. Wm. Ellis. He will be discharged, and all his friends are rejoicing, as he returned from France in a very feeble condition.

There is a new little girl at Mr. and Mrs. Lacnie Harvey's.

Mr. Floyd Trent is on the sick list.

We found the decline in the price of tobacco and dampness the order of many who contemplated putting it into seed and our merchants say it is cheaper or even now.

We are glad to hear that Mr. [illegible] is improving and [illegible] hope that Mrs. Ed Mockridge, who is similarly ill need not [illegible] to be able to [illegible] soon.

Mr. S. J. Lee has gone to Appomattox today to have his [illegible] hand treated.

Mrs. [illegible] Robinson, of Appomattox is visiting relatives near here.

Shockoe Hope that much needed [illegible] secured. We [illegible] and Noel Foster, [illegible] Hope, Rev. Holmes and Charlotte Lee and many others will [illegible] plan must needed printer will soon be secured.

Keep Advancing.

Every man owes it to himself and his fellows to make the most of the ground, the new age will offer him the new advantages. The future will have for him greater opportunities. There is no limit to what a man may become except such as he mentally [illegible] on himself. Every new advance should mean steps forward. Every forward step should reveal new possibilities in achievement. Well-wishing not for definite and showy reward comes unsought. But you must use them. The average reward. The average is always worth. But it's work that has hope.

Our Paint Not Perfumed.

It more than 4,200 [illegible] of plants are gathered and used for commercial purposes in Europe. Of these 130 have a perfume that is pleasant, and enter largely into the manufacture of scents, soaps, and sachets. There are more species of [illegible] are gathered than of any other [illegible]. Of these 187 have an agreeable scent. Next in order come yellow blossoms, with 95, 77 of these being nectarless. Red flowers number 89, of which 84 are scented. The blue flowers are of 594 species, 34 of which are perfumed, and the violet blossoms number 308, 13 of which are pleasantly odoriferous.

Beggars in India.

In the large cities of India are [illegible] country in the world.

PREPARE SEED BED FOR OATS

Disking and Harrowing in Spring Is Better for Good Yields Than Plowing.

EARLY SEEDING DESIRABLE

Care Should Be Taken to Secure New Stock of Seed for Sowing Where Local Supply is of Poor Quality —Use Clean Seed.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

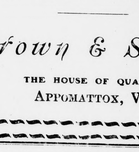
When oats follow a cultivated crop, which is usually the case, it is not generally necessary to plow the land before sowing. This is well on fall-plowed land, but if the land has not been plowed in the fall, better yields are usually produced from sowing in a seed bed made by disking and harrowing than in one made by spring plowing. Early seeding for oats is very desirable. As a good seed bed can be made much more quickly with the disk harrow than with the plow, on land that was in a cultivated crop last year, the saving in time is an advantage. Two diskings and one harrowing with the spike-toothed harrow will put clean land in good shape for sowing with the drill.

Buying Seed.

If local supply of seed oats is of poor quality, care should be taken in getting a new stock for sowing. It is better to get this supply from points to the east and west than from points north or south, as the varieties are more likely to be those which will do well locally. Varieties which may be best two or three hundred miles to the north or south may not be at all suitable. If new seed is wanted, ask the county agent or the state experiment station where to get it and what varieties to buy.

If you have been growing a variety which does well in your locality it is better to sow well-cleaned seed of that variety grown on your own farm or in your county than to get seed from a distance. It takes oats a year or two to get used to the soil and climate in any locality, and although one do their best until they become adapted to local conditions. If the oats grown locally were injured more or less last summer by rains after harvest, make a germination test and sow more than the usual quantity in order to send away for seed. If your oats are light and chaffy take out about two-thirds of the lightest of them with the fanning mill and use the other third for seed.

The idea that oats run out and that it is necessary to get new seed every few years is quite common, but it is



Cutting a Crop of Oats and Vetch.

not justified by the facts. There is no reason why a good variety of oats should not be just as good twenty years from now as it is now. If care is taken to keep it pure.

Clean and Grade Seed.

The seed should be cleaned and graded each year, taking out the weed seeds and the small kernels. It should also be treated for smut at least once in two or three years. If the seed is of good quality it will not pay to run it through the fanning mill more than once, to take out the small kernels and weed seeds. If the seed is poor or very weedy, running it through a second time and taking out two-thirds or more of the grain is well worth the time.

The reason it is best to take out the small kernels is that they do not make as strong plants as the large ones. The weak plants from these small kernels usually produce little grain. If the kernels that are sown are all about the same size the plants will be uniform, the crop will all ripen at the same time, and the yield will be better.

Sowing With Drill is Best.

The best way to sow oats is with the grain drill. Drilling gives a more even stand than broadcast seeding, for all the seed is covered to about the same depth. In sowing broadcast, some of the seed may not be covered at all and some may be covered too deeply. Germination is better from drilled seed and the growth is more uniform throughout the season. In numerous tests at the experiment stations drilling oats have outyielded oats sown broadcast by several bushels to the acre. Better stands of grass and clover can also be obtained in drilled than in broadcast oats.

VIRGINIA NEWS IN SHORT ORDER

Latest Doings in Various Parts of the State

TOLD IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

Bristol.—The firm of Gladding, Mc[illegible]son & Ott, of Bristol, will have charge of the engineering work to [illegible] in connection with $50,000 of street construction work at Wilson, N. C., according to a statement made by a member of the firm.

Lynchburg.—An arrangement has been perfected through county organizations and the Lynchburg Home Economics League for "weed-en-baskets" to be brought to the city and sold to members of the league. This has come out of a move to secure a Saturday market.

Danville.—Checking up the work of local census enumerators reveals that one side of Jefferson street has been overlooked, with possibly 200 people unrecorded. This is ascribed to the complicated subdivisions of census districts. This discovery has led to careful survey of the work recently undertaken here.

Danville.—Oliver Cornwell, 19, giving his home as Rock Hill, S. C., was arrested here charged with offering a bogus check for $16. While being taken to the bank for identification after offering the check at a hardware store, the youth ran away, was pursued by the clerk and captured.

Lynchburg.—The directors of the Y. M. C. A. here have secured an opinion on property adjoining the association building on Church street in the hope of buying it for an enlargement of the present structure. The lot under option has a frontage of forty-two feet and a depth of 122 feet.

Bristol.—At the first meeting of the Bristol Kiwanis Club, recently organized, the following officers were elected: A. Kyle Morrison, president; Allen E. King, vice-president; A. E. Anderson, secretary, and F. C. Bonham, treasurer. The directors of the club are: R. E. Ballard, E. M. Woolley, L. A. Sterchi, J. W. Lynn, D. T. Slaughter, Fred Smith, and Dr. C. C. Carson.

Lynchburg.—An overcoat belonging to D. G. Moore was stolen from the First Presbyterian Church here Sunday morning during services at the church. Pockets of the coat contained valuable papers. Two weeks previous to this time a coat was taken from the church. Pockets of the coat contained valuable papers. Two weeks previously some one entered the same church and stole a top coat belonging to the pastor, Rev. J. D. Paxton, while he was preaching.

Danville.—The first definite step towards rebuilding any of the recently fire-swept structures on Main street was taken when workmen started clearing debris from the Broadway Theatre, which will be rebuilt without delay on a somewhat more elaborate scale. The work is being done by the Southern Amusement Company.

Danville.—The annual session of the Association of Virginia Fairs met here and decided to raise prices of admission 50 per cent during the week next fall. Fixed dates for fairs in Virginia and West Virginia, as announced numerous topics. The association will meet next year at Bluefield, W. Va. Breeding the agricultural feature of agricultural fairs many of them will run next fall for longer periods than the State fair will be open ten days instead of a week.

Increased cost in operating the mines makes the increase of rate fees necessary. The report of the secretary showed 640,000 attended fairs in the two Virginias last year, the receipts being $360,500.

H. B. Watkins, of Danville, retired president, disabled by illness to be present, was re-elected president; P. Carlos, of Galax; J. C. Brown, of Bedford; C. R. Howard, of Fredericksburg; D. W. Lapsley, of Winchester, vice-presidents, and C. L. Baldwin, of Staunton, secretary.

The Virginia fair dates are: Marion, August 31 to September 2; Staunton, August 31 to September 4; Galax, September 15 to 17; Winchester, September 7 to 10; Radford, September 23 to 26; Woodstock, September 14 to 17; Harrisburg, September 28 to October 1; Fredericksburg, September 23 to 26; Manassas, September 1 to 3; Covington, September 24 to 25; Lynchburg, September 27 to October 1; Louisa, September 28 to October 1; Richmond, October 4 to 9; Danville, October 5 to 8; Bedford, October 5 to 8; Petersburg, October 11 to 16; Harrisonburg, September 23 to 25; South Boston, September 24 to October 1.

Fredericksburg.—After having almost miraculously escaped death when an airplane in which he was flying struck the top of a tree eight feet from the ground and, turning completely over, landed safely four minutes later, Lieut. Richmond Page, of a bank in Montross, Westmoreland county, was on his way home from visit to his father, R. M. Carter, of Orlando, Fla., where the accident happened. Though he was unconscious for fifteen hours and was badly cut and bruised, Mr. Carter has almost recovered from the fall.

OLD BUCKINGHAM.

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Many Interesting Reports Made of Her People.

The past week the local streams were higher than for many years past. Mr. Tom Rosen in attempting to drive from Farmville across the river at Wilburn's bridge and the water on this side of the bridge was so deep and strong that it lifted the body off of his wagon and he floated off in it and was washed to the hammock, on which he got on to the land, while his horses in attempting to reach the main land ran the wagon against a tree and they were both drowned.

Mr. Lorenz Dow Taylor died at his home on Friday Feb 6 of pneumonia. Mr. Taylor was an honest industrious man and had a pleasant smile in greeting his friends that we shall miss greatly by many friends. The funeral took place at the old home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Crute had another little girl named Frances Carol Crute.

We read in daily papers of the slump in prices of all kinds of cattle, but the price of hogs has advanced to $14.50 and $14.75 on the local market.

Tears of cattle having been [illegible]ered by the foot rise[illegible]yer last week. Mr. John T. Pierce lost two head and several calves were washed away on State River Mills.

W. W. Hudkins and John G. Glover executed bonds to the State of Virginia for the sum of $8000 to be paid on the Literary Fund, by Mayes-ville and [illegible] on 15th [illegible] 15th those to do of $400 each and they bear interest at the rate of four per cent. This money is to be used in completing and equipping the new High School here.

The average rooster does not realize what the newspapers are doing in order to keep alive the scarcity of help, the high cost of print paper, and all other materials makes quite a tremendous item for the paper and the great dailies have cut off the exchange copies they had to send in exchanges for the weekly papers, and they have discontinued the complimentary copies they used to send to correspondents.

Then are going from house to house in effort to buy hogs and cow feed and finding none for sale, because when the [illegible] foot was in the making these people were either idle or they were hauling ties and lumber to the rail road stations.

I have just received a big catalog from one of the [illegible] mail order houses, and I find that prices are higher than in the lines I buy they are on the local retail market.

John Tolson, a young man who was sent to the army from here has been granted a pension by the United States Government, because he had heart disease after he returned from France.

Mr. Thomas B. Hall had the misfortune to get his eye hurt while riding to take the census and he has asked to be relieved from completing the work and Mr. George K. Jeffries is now about completed his work of enumerating all of the people in Maysville district. Mr. Hall has the sympathy of all who know him and all here his eye will soon be well. He got off his horse to make him jump a ditch when a blue struck him in his face and one stuck in his eye.

There has been sold on the [illegible] to-bacco market, one million one hundred and forty-one thousand pounds of tobacco this season at an average of $36.25 per hundred. It is estimated that 1 of the crop has been sold. Many farmers have finished selling will other have only remnants left.

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[illegible] and wife, Plaintiffs

vs.

[illegible] Plaintiffs

Upon the motion of the plaintiffs by counsel and it appearing that the defendants [illegible] are not residents of this State, but are residents of the State of [illegible] and that they have no known agent or attorney in fact upon whom process can be served, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Times-Virginian, a newspaper published in the County of Appomattox, and that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Court House of this County on or before the first day of the next term of this Court.

A Copy—Teste:

A. H. Clement, p. q. [illegible]

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[illegible] undoubtedly would go to a cooler climate early in July.

[illegible]ents were sent floral tributes. [illegible] Rabbi Stephen S. Wise delivered the eulogy.

Special People

[illegible] extravagant number of civil suits [illegible] in all departments, Justice Ritchie admitted in the discharge [illegible] that the civil list numbered [illegible] persons. The New Right [illegible] viewer, challenged that dig-

Austria has only 6,000,000 population, and it is estimated that each government salary supports a family of four. The newspapers possessing the [illegible] in a demand that the civil list be reduced by the [illegible] dismissal